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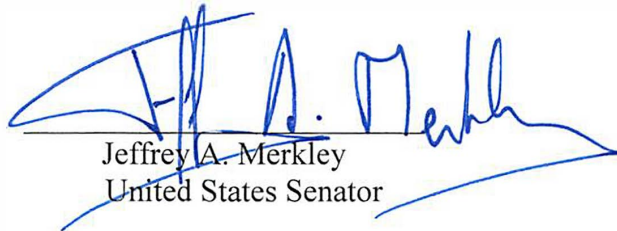
The Honorable Brian Schatz
Chairman
Subcommittee on Transportation, Housing
and Urban Development, and
Related Agencies
Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable Susan Collins
Ranking Member
Subcommittee on Transportation, Housing
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Dear Chairman Schatz and Ranking Member Collins,

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in any of the congressionally directed spending items that I have requested in the Fiscal Year 2022 Transportation, Housing and Urban Development, and Related Agencies appropriations bill, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

Sincerely,



Jeffrey A. Merkley
United States Senator

**Merkley, Jeff(D-OR) Transportation Housing and Urban Development
Congressionally Directed Spending Requests**

Recipient Name	Project Purpose	Project Location	Amount Requested (\$000)
Port of Astoria	The funds will be used to repair a dock on the west side of Pier 2 at the Port of Astoria.	Astoria OR	\$1,500
Mid-Willamette Valley Community Action Agency	The purpose of the project is to rehab and modernize a former motel property to provide shelter and transitional housing for people displaced by the Labor Day wildfires and the homeless population.	Astoria OR	\$1,000
Tualatin Hills Park&Recreation District	This funding will support include right-of-way improvements and amenities for cyclists and pedestrians along the Beaverton Creek Trail.	Beaverton OR	\$1,500
Tualatin Hills Park&Recreation District	Funding will go to support support engineering, permitting and construction of nearly one mile of multi-use trail.	Beaverton OR	\$1,500
Benton County	This funding would complete Benton County's Wide Area Network.	Benton County OR	\$390
Greenbelt Land Trust	This funding would support renovations of the Confluence Center.	Benton County OR	\$1,000
Oregon Department of Transportation	The fund will support a signal rebuild in Corvallis	City of Corvallis OR	\$2,000
City of Medford	This project would fund upgrades to Table Rock Road to enhance safety and improve access.	City of Medford OR	\$4,800
City of Salem, Oregon	The project will construct a segment of the Pringle Creek Path.	City of Salem OR	\$4,000
Sherwood	This project will complete design and construction of a 1.02 mile,12-foot-wide segment of the Cedar Creek Trail from Highway 99W to the Tualatin River National Wildlife Refuge.	City of Sherwood OR	\$4,800
Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde	The purpose of these funds is to support improvements at the former site of the Blue Heron Paper Mill.	Clackamas County OR	\$2,000
Clatsop County	This funding would enhance access from US 30 to the ferry terminal, boat landing, and park, as well as barge activity on the Columbia River.	Clatsop County OR	\$4,000
Maritime Fire and Safety Association	This funding would support a critical upgrade to the Interoperable Communication System.	Clatsop County OR	\$855
Clatsop County	This project would provide high speed internet access to rural communities in Clatsop County.	Clatsop County OR	\$113
Oregon International Port of Coos Bay	This funding would support improvements at the former Georgia Pacific Mill site.	Coos County OR	\$5,500
Jeff Griffin	This project will replace the dock and piling infrastructure at the Port of Bandon.	Coos County OR	\$1,266
Corvallis Neighborhood Housing Services, Inc (dba	This funding would support affordable housing development in Clackamas and Benton Counties.	Corvallis OR	\$550
City of Redmond, Oregon	This funding would support planning and design of a rebuild of Highway 97.	Deschutes County OR	\$2,000
City of Bend	This funding would support construction of a bicycle and pedestrian bridge over US97 and the BNSF railway.	Deschutes County OR	\$5,000

City of Bend	The purpose of this funding is to support completion of the Murphy Road Interchange.	Deschutes County OR	\$5,000
Oregon Department of Transportation	This funding will be used to extend an existing passing lane along US - 101.	Douglas County OR	\$2,000
Eugene Civic Alliance	The purpose of these funds is to support improvements at the Eugene Civic Stadium.	Eugene OR	\$546
Rogue Community College	This project will provide for critical renovations to the Marjorie Holzgang Concert Bowl at the Rogue Community College Redwood Campus.	Grants Pass OR	\$2,500
County of Harney	This funding would support road paving on East Steen's Road.	Harney County OR	\$25,000
City of Hermiston	This funding will support Phase 1 of the GRATE Initiative.	Hemiston OR	\$1,500
Willow Creek Valley Economic Development Group	This project will create subdivision infrastructure in Heppner, OR.	Heppner OR	\$800
Port of Hood River	This funding would support facility upgrades to expand support for UAS.	Hood River County OR	\$200
Port of Hood River	This funding would support the construction the first phase of a multi-phase development effort along the Hood River waterfront.	Hood River County OR	\$400
City of Independence, Oregon	This funding would support sidewalk and other improvements to Downtown Independence.	Independence OR	\$1,200
City of Medford	The funding will add second right-turn lane to reduce congestion.	Jackson County OR	\$2,400
Rogue Valley Transportation District	This funding would support a transit facility expansion on RVTD's main campus.	Jackson County OR	\$11,750
Kid Time Discovery Experience	This funding would expand the early learning and childcare capacity of Kid Time and their Ivy School Preschool, particularly benefiting low income and historically underserved populations in our community.	Jackson County OR	\$1,173
Jefferson County	This funding would repair a bridge near Culver, Oregon that is failing.	Jefferson County OR	\$355
City of La Grande	This funding would support the renovations at the Ignite Center for Entrepreneurship.	La Grande OR	\$1,666
Oregon Housing and Community Services	This funding would preserve affordable housing by redeveloping the Lazy Days Mobile Home and RV Park.	Lane County OR	\$1,000
Lane Transit District	This funding will support the purchase of one battery electric bus.	Lane County OR	\$956
Lane Transit District	This funding would support the development of a mobile transit application.	Lane County OR	\$600
Oregon Housing and Community Services	The purpose of this project is to purchase the Patrician mobile home park.	Lane County OR	\$2,000
SquareOne Villages	This funding would support efforts to provide 70 permanently affordable housing units and a community center for low-income households.	Lane County OR	\$1,000
Oregon Department of Transportation	This funding would support the construction of a roadside area along US 101.	Lane County OR	\$1,000
City of Springfield, Oregon	These funds would support planning to improve the Gateway/Beltline Intersection.	Lane County OR	\$1,250
City of Eugene	This funding would support the establishment of a community park in the Santa Clara neighborhood.	Lane County OR	\$1,000

Oregon Housing and Community Services	The purpose of these funds is to preserve affordable housing in Lincoln County by purchasing the Harbor Village RV Park.	Lincoln County OR	\$2,000
Lincoln County Oregon	These funds would restore a roadway damaged by wildfire.	Lincoln County OR	\$1,000
Lincoln County Public Works	Milling out approximately 68,815 square feet of asphalt and overlaying three and three quarter miles of roadway with hot mix asphalt and the roadway restriped along Business Highway 20 and Sturdevant road into Toledo, Oregon.	Lincoln County OR	\$1,000
Creating Housing Coalition	This funding would support infrastructure and site preparation for a permanent, very low income tiny home village for unhoused persons.	Linn County OR	\$800
City of Madras	This funding would support the expansion of critical bridge infrastructure over Willowcreek on J Street.	Madras OR	\$3,000
Oregon Wildlife Heritage Foundation	This funding would support wildlife crossings along Highway 20	Malheur County OR	\$685
Center for Hope and Safety	These funds would complete construction of HOPE Plaza.	Marion County OR	\$2,000
Marion County	This funding would support a number of important improvements to repair wildfire damage along North Fork Road.	Marion County OR	\$1,440
Salem Area Mass Transit District (SAMTD)	The funding would support the acquisition of additional electric buses.	Marion County OR	\$6,306
Mid-Willamette Valley Community Action Agency	The request would support property acquisition to support the establishment of a veterans homeless shelter.	Marion County OR	\$1,200
Capaces Leadership Institute	This funding would support the creation of a education and cultural center for farmworkers.	Marion County OR	\$1,250
Oregon Department of Transportation	These funds would support pedestrian and other improvements on Hwy 22 in Mill City.	Marion County OR	\$1,500
Marion County	These funds would be used to construct left-turn lanes at major intersections.	Marion County OR	\$3,000
Salem Area Mass Transit District (SAMTD)	This funding would establish a transit link between east Salem and south Salem.	Marion County OR	\$504
Farmworker Housing Development Corporation	This funding would support the renovation of the Cipriano Education Center.	Marion County OR	\$500
Marion County	The project will complete dry excavation under the existing docks and boat slips of two marinas at the Detroit Lake Reservoir.	Marion County OR	\$2,500
Mano a Mano Family Center	This funding would expand capacity at KTUP 98.3 FM, a non-commercial community radio station.	Marion County OR	\$250
Oregon Housing and Community Services	This funding would support permanent housing for veterans and access to supportive services.	Marion County OR	\$2,000
Tri-County Metropolitan Transportation District of	This funding would support battery-electric charging infrastructure and hydrogen fueling infrastructure.	Marion County OR	\$15,000
Port of Morrow	This project would enhance access in between Interstate 84 and the Port of Morrow Industrial Park, addressing a major safety concern with the flow of trucks and single passenger vehicles.	Morrow County OR	\$2,254

Habitat of Humanity Portland	This funding would support construction of affordable housing in East Portland.	Multnomah County OR	\$2,000
Proud Ground	This funding would support a down-payment assistance program.	Multnomah County OR	\$1,000
Oregon Department of Transportation	This proposal will fund important improvements bringing approximately 30-40 corners and 50-60 ADA ramps up to current standards including 3 signalized intersections, and 6 unsignalized intersections.	Multnomah County OR	\$2,000
Oregon Department of Transportation	Funds would be used to construct a 12 mile accessible trail between Benson Lake State Park and Multnomah Falls.	Multnomah County OR	\$1,000
Portland Japanese Garden	This funding would support renovations and remediation at the Japan Institute.	Multnomah County OR	\$1,750
Oregon Department of Transportation	The funding would support construction of a portion of the Newberg Dundee Bypass.	Newberg OR	\$5,000
City of Phoenix	This funding would support efforts to rebuild the fire station that burned down during last year's wildfire season.	Phoenix OR	\$930
City of Independence, Oregon	This funding would support upgrades to existing riverfront and parking facilities to increase access.	Polk County OR	\$3,000
City of Independence	This funding would support the expansion of Independence Public Library's collections and footprint.	Polk County OR	\$1,500
Polk County	This funding would support safety improvements to OR22.	Polk County OR	\$73,900
Polk County	Funds would enhance transit corridors by providing new shelters, lighting, benches and crossings at 10-15 stops served by Rose Lane lines.	Polk County OR	\$1,500
Hacienda Community Development Corporation	This funding would support repairs and infrastructure upgrades to the Portland Mercado.	Portland OR	\$462
City of Portland	This funding will support efforts to restore and enhance Portland's neighborhoods, public spaces, watersheds, and critical habitats.	Portland OR	\$1,300
Artists Repertory Theatre	This project would create of a multi-use performing arts center with two rehearsal halls and collaborative work spaces.	Portland OR	\$2,000
Multnomah County	The funding would establish a plaza for the Behavioral Health Resource Center.	Portland OR	\$1,355
City of Portland	This request would support electrical and structural upgrades to Union Station.	Portland OR	\$1,500
Oregon Department of Transportation	This project will fund pedestrian improvements and ADA ramp corrections in south Tillamook on US-101.	Portland OR	\$1,500
Oregon Department of Transportation	This project would fund pedestrian improvements along U.S. 30.	Rainier OR	\$2,000
Oregon Department of Aviation	This funding would support the purchase and installation of weather equipment and cameras at several airports around the state that currently do not have the equipment.	Salem OR	\$5,400
Capaces Leadership Institute	This funding would expand the Anahuac Program.	Salem OR	\$700
City of Salem	This funding would support Phase 2 of the McGilchrist Complete Street Project.	Salem OR	\$2,000
Oregon Department of Aviation	This funding would support the Oregon Aviation Department's airport pavement preservation.	Salem OR	\$9,800
City of Sherwood, Oregon	This funding would clean up two contaminated lots associated with a former leather tannery site for productive reuse.	Sherwood OR	\$2,500

City of Sherwood	This funding would support the expansion of rural broadband in rural areas around Sherwood.	Sherwood OR	\$1,049
City of Sherwood, Oregon	Funding would complete engineering and design of the new East/West Industrial Collector Road in Sherwood's Tonquin Employment Area (TEA).	Sherwood OR	\$700
City of St.Helens	The funding would be used for design, construction, and permitting of US 30 corridor segment improvements.	St. Helens OR	\$819
City of Tigard, Oregon	This funding would support an at-grade, pedestrian-activated, signalized crossing of SW Scholls Ferry Road.	Tigard OR	\$1,000
Northwest Coastal Housing	These funds would be used complete a preservation transaction for a multifamily building in Tillamook.	Tillamook OR	\$500
Michele Bradley	This funding would replace the Automated Weather Observing Station at the Port of Tillamook Bay Airport.	Tillamook OR	\$500
City of Pendleton	This funding would support the construction of an arterial road between Highway 11 to Highway 30.	Umatilla County OR	\$1,500
Oregon Department of Transportation	The request adds additional functionality to a currently planned safety project at Exit 216 EB on I-84 in Umatilla County, on the Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation.	Umatilla County OR	\$2,000
The City of Mosier	This project will construct Mosier Center, a joint fire house, city hall, and community center.	Wasco County OR	\$1,500
City of Beaverton	This funding will support the development of the Downtown Loop, which would increase walking, biking, and transit in downtown Beaverton.	Washington OR	\$4,000
Oregon Department of Transportation	This funding would implement the recommendations from a recent ODOT-funding Road Safety Audit of Highway 8 (Tualatin Valley Highway).	Washington County OR	\$1,000
Washington County	This funding would construct over a mile of sidewalks in Aloha, Oregon.	Washington County OR	\$2,000
City of Beaverton	This funding would support the development of an affordable housing development and new library branch.	Washington County OR	\$1,000
Tualatin Hills Park and Recreation District	This funding would support a project to bring Waterhouse Trail into compliance with ADA standards.	Washington County OR	\$1,500
City of Hillsboro	This funding would support the establishment of a community park in Hillsboro.	Washington County OR	\$3,000
Chehalem Park and Recreation District	This funding will support a pedestrian and bike path between Newberg and Dundee.	Yamhill County OR	\$500
North Willamette Valley Habitat for Humanity	This funding would provide infrastructure for the first two phases of a planned 18-unit affordable housing development.	Yamhill County OR	\$1,000